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The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, President and Members of the Senate Thirty-First State Legislature State Capitol, Room 409 Honolulu, HI 96813 The Honorable Scott K. Saiki, Speaker and Members of the Senate Thirty-First State Legislature State Capitol, Room 431 Honolulu, HI 96813

SUBJECT: Total Number of Disabled Veterans Exempted from Annual Vehicle Registration Fees (\$45.00)

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

Pursuant to Section 1(b) of Act 128 SLH 2015 Regular Session, we are providing the legislature and Department of Taxation with the total number of disabled veterans who qualify under this section for the exemption from annual vehicle registration fees. The number of Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) rated 100% disabled service-connected Veterans in the State of Hawaii who have their respective addresses listed in Hawaii as of December 2021 is **5,904**.

In accordance with Section 93-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, I am also informing you that this letter may be viewed electronically at <a href="https://www.dod.hawaii.gov">www.dod.hawaii.gov</a>.

Please contact Ron Han, Director of the State Office of Veterans Services if you have any questions at 433-0422 or by email at <a href="mailto:ronald.p.han@hawaii.gov">ronald.p.han@hawaii.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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cc: The Honorable Isaac W. Choy, Director Department of Taxation